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DEAR MR. POWELL

ABOUT PROVIDING FAIR ACCESS TO THE TELCOM NETWORKS

I FEEL THAT NOT LETTING THE TELEPHONE COMPANIES CHARGE FAIR ACCESS PRICING IS WRONG. THE PHONE COMPANIES PLANT IS OLD AND THEY AREN'T REBUILDING IT, IN A FEW YEARS IT WILL BE SO DETERIORATED SO BAD THAT THEIR CUSTOMERS WILL SUFFER FOR A LONG TIME

VENDORS HAVE AN UNFAIR ADVANTAGE OVER THE PHONE COMPANIES THEY DON'T HAVE TO PAY FOR UPKEEP

WE ARE BEHIND KOREA AND SOME OTHER COUNTRIES ON DIGH SPEED BROAD BAND EVEN OUR WIRELESS NET WORK IS WAY BEHIND EUROPE. AND I THINK THIS IS A SHAME

I LIVE IN AN AREA WHERE THERE ARE TWO PHONE COMPANIES AND I KNOW FROM A FACT THAT NEITHER COMPANY IS REPLACING THEIR OUTSIDE PLANT THEY ARE JUST PATCHING IT PLEASE LET THE PHONE COMPANIES CHARGE FAIR ACCESS PRICES TO THE VENDORS

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